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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 394  
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A RESOLUTION to recognize and honor a fine and upstanding  
Tennessean, Mr. Denny Brewington.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those persons who, through their personal efforts, are credits to their state and have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Mr. Denny Brewington, who is credited as having created the "Music City Bowl," Tennessee's second national premier college football bowl game; and

WHEREAS, the city of Metro-Nashville, as well as the state of Tennessee, looked forward to December 29, 1999, as the "Music City Bowl" brought millions of dollars into Nashville and Tennessee during the year's historically slowest week of tourism; and

WHEREAS, a Vanderbilt graduate and successful attorney, Mr. Brewington served as a General Assembly staff member during the 1970s, under the auspices of State Senator Jim Robertson, before helping create the "Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Show" on cable television; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Brewington served with acumen as a co-founding board member of the Nashville Music Association, currently known as the Nashville Entertainment Association, and the Nashville Film and Video Association; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brewington has also been credited as lending his efforts in helping Metro-Nashville government pass legislation creating the tourism-friendly "Metro Hotel/Motel Tax," and he successfully lobbied for the creation of the Tennessee Film, Entertainment and Music Commission; and

WHEREAS, seldom does a man of Mr. Denny Brewington's stature walk among us, and it is fitting that he should be specially recognized for his life of purpose and commitment; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we honor Mr. Denny Brewington for his many good deeds, as we congratulate him for the tremendous success in which his ten years of hard work and dedication have culminated, for the renowned "Music City Bowl," which was held on December 29, 1999 in the Adelphia Coliseum, and for his many contributions to the state of Tennessee and Metro-Nashville.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.